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**PATENT APPLICATION**

Applicant(s): Andrews et al.

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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR LOCATING A CLOSEST  
SERVER IN RESPONSE TO A CLIENT DOMAIN NAME  
REQUEST

**REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT**

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The undersigned has been appointed applicants' Associate Attorney and correspondent for this application. By separate correspondence, an Associate Power of Attorney (to attorneys/agents of CUSTOMER #26,291) has been filed. In reviewing the application file, applicants' attorney has noted that although the postal card receipt and Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application Filing Date Granted show a November 29, 2000 filing date, a subsequent "UPDATED FILING RECEIPT" shows a March 12, 2001 filing date. Copies of the relevant documents are attached.

Please issue a CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT to reflect the November 29, 2000 filing date granted the application.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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1. Fee Transmittal (PTO/SB/17) (in duplicate)
2. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/05)
3. Utility Application Fee Transmittal
4. 33 pages specification, 6 pages claims, 1 page abstract, 4 pages drawings
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR LOCATING A  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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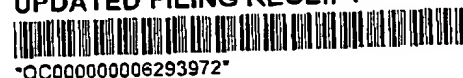
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